IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Conf. 4666 Eric BERREKLOUW

Application No. 10/510,032 Group 3734

Filed October 1, 2004 Examiner C. Gettman

ASSEMBLY COMPRISING A STABILISER AND AN INSTRUMENT TO BE POSITIONED IN OR AROUND A PASSAGE SURROUNDED BY BODY TISSUE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents October 28, 2008 P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of April 28, 2008, for three months to October 28, 2008.

Please charge the extension fee of \$555 to our credit card set forth in the attached Credit Card.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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